

# **Board Meeting**

# Wednesday, June 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2022 12:00 PM Martin County Arts Council *Minutes*

#### **PRESENT**

Chase Conner, Jeremiah Taylor, Judy Wobbleton, Ila Parker, Walter Whitfield, Gemma Martin, Cameron Braddy, Andrew Kuhn

#### CALL TO ORDER

Chase Conner called the meeting to order at 12:05.

#### **MINUTES**

Jeremiah made a motion to approve the minutes from the February meeting. Judy seconded the motion. The minutes were passed.

#### FINANCIAL REPORT

The financial report as of 6/222022 showed an increase of \$50.00 for memberships from Marco Hi-Fi. The balance of the account showed \$27,714.87. Judy made a motion to approve the financial report. Ila seconded the motion. The financial report was passed.

#### MAJOR UPDATES

## **New Planning and Downtown Marketing Coordinator**

Cameron introduced Andrew Kuhn, the new Planning and Downtown Marketing Coordinator.

# **Downtown Vacancy Ordinance**

Cameron reported he has received registration from a few building owners. Also, other building owners have expressed their intention to spruce up their buildings.

### **Downtown Banners**

Downtown banners have been installed.

#### **Disc Golf Project**

No updates from EPA or DEQ. Property owner has submitted the work plan for final testing. DEQ and EPA will look over work plan and contact when testing has been completed. Tourism and Rotary Club are still interested in helping with funding.

## 108 West Main

Committee of 100 has put a sign with their logo in the window of the building. Roof replacement is completed. Within the next couple of months, the Committee of 100 will have an engineered plan done. They are also planning on getting quotes to have the floor filled in with concrete.

# **Downtown Landscaping**

Town has removed dead trees along Haughton Street next to Wells Fargo and is planning on removing and replacing the large gingko trees along Main Street. The town is currently in the process of researching tree types that will be a good fit.

# MARTIN COUNTY ARTS COUNCIL

6/23 Arts Council Annual Dinner and Membership Banquet and Entertainment by Donna Washington.

7/18-22 Summer Dance Camp - \$65.00 for members

# **WOMAN'S CLUB**

No updates.

## E.J. HAYES ALUMNI CENTER

6/25 Summer Bazaar from 8:00 AM – 4:00 PM

Walter Whitfield bought the old Swain's Wood Shop downtown and is planning on fixing it up.

# FRIENDS OF THE OLD COURTHOUSE

No updates.

## **DISCUSSION**

The Martin Supply building owner has started moving stuff out of the building and is moving the remaining stuff to one side of the building to begin work on the other side. They are planning on rehabilitation one storefront at a time.

## **ADJOURNMENT**

The meeting was adjourned at 12:25 PM.